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Art Unit: 2183

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For: A MULTIPLE PROCESSOR ARRANGEMENT

FOR CONSERVING POWER (amended)

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated August 17, 2004, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.



Docket No. AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER 29206-00036USPX Filing Date Examiner Art Unit Application No. Not Yet Assigned 2183 October 25, 1999 09/830719 Applicant(s): Rowan Nigel Naylor A MULTIPLE PROCESSOR ARRANGEMENT FOR CONSERVING POWER (amended) TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Claims Highest Remaining Number Number Previously After **Extra Claims** Present Rate Amendment Paid 0.00 **Total Claims** = х Independent 0.00 х Claims Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: 0.00 x Large Entity Small Entity x No additional fee is required for this amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. X The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 10-0447 as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. x Credit any overpayment. Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. Dated: November 16, 2004 Attorney Reg. No.: 47,764 JENKENS & GILCHRIST, A PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION 1445 Ross Avenue, Suite 3200 Dallas, Texas 75202 (214) 855-4614 I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail, in an envelope addressed to: MS Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date shown below. Dated: November 16, 2004